WITH THE FARMERS

By Prof. W. F. MASSEY



Read During Day's Session.

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jif I had bought the caustic soda from him, acting as the salesman of a reliable house, I would make the house take the stuff off my hands and refund acid is the money, for the selling of ticle as potash was a fraud. is the money, for the selling of this ar-

Scuppernong Grapes in Virginia. Essex County; "I am offered ten Scuppernong vines and one Male Rotundifolia for \$1. Do you think they will do well here, and is the Rotundifolia for \$1. Do you think they will do well here, and is the Rotundifolia for \$1. Do you think they will do well here, and is the Rotundifolia for \$1. Do you think they will do well here, and is the Rotundifolia the same that you recommend to be planted with the Suppernong? I am not think there is any plant food in suithurto noish. We all dependent to be planted with the Suppernong? I am nock, about half way between Predericksburg and the mouth of the river. Other grapes do well here." You are very near the northern limit for the Scuppernong If you have a sandy soil, they will probably do well. They thrive here on our level sandy soil, and we are slightly north of Essex, but have a local climate rather milder than the same latitude west of the bay. The Rotundifolia is the same resulting we must get it in some combistion as the phosphate of lime in the ck or as the superphosphate when a rock; glissolyed in subduting and Essex County; "I am offered ten

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"I make the prophecy that the com-ing industrial centre of the United States will before long be in this section, and that the heart of the import and export trade will be in the ports along the Atlantic Seaboard from Bal-timore to the Gulf," said W. H. Manss, vice-president and general manager of the Southern Settlement and Development Organization, speaking last night at a dinner in the Jesterson Hotel to the representatives of business organi-

L. W. Calloway, Asneville, N. C.; Dr. James H. Atiee, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Dr. Joseph Graham, Murham, N. C.; Dr. Duncan Eve, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. W. A. Mulherin, Augusta, Ga., and Dr. L. W. Elias, Asheville, N. C.

Yacht Wakiva IV. which went ashore on St. Joseph's Island near Port Arkansas, Texas, November 4, was floated to-day and proceeded to Port Arkansas. The Wakiva IV is the property of the Puastica Petroleum Company.

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Following Mr. Manss, Dr. Cyrll G. Hopkins, famous as a scientific farming expert and now director of the Scientific farming expert and now director of the Significant Camp. Dr. W. F. Drewry, Edward Eligenbrun, E. A. Hartley, William B. Mellwaine, Louis A. Rosenstock, H. S. Seward, G. C. Wright and F. Whittle.

Reports of the several officers were read. The president reports the hospital as growing in importance and usefulness, and as successful in all its departments. During the past year 704 wasted soil, made an earnest plea for farm demonstration work and asked the support of the State for agricultural colleges and farm experiment. tural colleges and farm experiment and forty-eight received absolute charity. The Childs' Cot Association, cared for six, the Dunlop Ward for seven, and the Auxiliary for three. The Training School for Nurses has made good progress, and through the gen-crosity of Dr. J. D. Osborne, the hos-pital expects soon to enstall an up-to-

pital expects soon to mistall an up-to-date X-ray machine. Dr. Struchan, of Lancaster County, Va., is the resident physician. The president pays tribute to the memory of three warm friends of the hospital who passed away during the year—Mrs. R. E. Gill, George Cameron, Jr., and Bartiett Roper, Sr.

The treasurer's report shows the receipts of the hospital during the year

celpts of the hospital during the year amounted to \$20,450.68, with a balance of \$478.28. The medical report states 543 patients were cured, thirty-nine were relieved, and thirty-five died fourteen of these from accidents or in-curable diseases. Sixteen babies were born in the hospital during the year. The reports of Mrs. W. R. McKenney, president of the Childs' Cot Associa-tion, and Miss Sarah Osborne, president of the Auxiliary of the west design. of the Auxiliary, of the work done by each during the year were interesting

and encouraging. Confederate Monument. At the meeting on Saturday of the Prince George Chapter, United Daugh-ters of the Confederacy, it was decided to erect a monument at the courthouse in memory of the soldiers of the coun-ty. Steps will be taken at once to press the movement to success. Every other county in Southside Virginia, it is believed, has erected a handsome

monument to commemorate its soldier

Painful Accident.

Mrs. John E. Livesay met with a painful accident at her home in Liberty Street last night. She stepped upon a chair to shut off an electric light in the kitchen. The chair tilted, and she fell to the floor. Her right arm was broken just above the wrist.

Clementia Dodson, the four-year-old deurster of John Dodson, a colored daughter of John Dodson, a colored plasterer, while playing at her home in Gill Street yesterday, ran a piece of wire in her eye, causing serious in jury to that organ.

General News Notes. The funeral of Dr. William Shippen, who died suddenly in the Petersburg who died suddenly in the Petersburg
Hospital last evening, will take place
from St. Faul's Church at 11 o'clock
to-morrow morning, and the burial
will be in Blandford Cemetery.
Invitations have been Issued to the
marriage of Miss Carolyn Ellington
Evans and John Flournoy Crowder, to
take place at 12:30 o'clock on the afternoon of Thursday, November 27, at
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